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Re: Application No: 09/405,731 Examiner: Clement B. Graham
Applicant(s): Thomas L. DiStefano, III Group Art Unit: 3628
Filing Date: 9/24/1999
Entitled: MODERATING EXTERNAL ACCESS TO AN ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT
AUTHORING, DEVELOPMENT AND DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM
Attorney Docket No. 1115-SU

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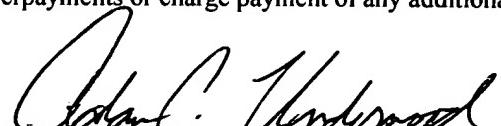
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 16, 2004, please consider the included remarks establishing the patentability of all claims in the Patent Application as filed: